

Everett B. Ansley Is First in Long Swim

DIVIDE DOUBLE BILL IN RICHMOND SERIES

WILBUR BROOKS SECOND

By NAT T. WORLEY.

at Broad Street Park next Saturday.

Swimming was the main attraction at the way, Everett B. Anley, captain of the Washington Swimming Club, crossed the finish line a winner in the sixth annual three-and-a-quarter-mile swim from Chain Bridge to the Aqueduct, which was held under the auspices of the local club yesterday afternoon.

Wilbur Brooks, of the Maryland Swimming Club, was second, and J. M. Curtis, of the Washington Swimming Club, third, while the team trophy went to the Washington Swimming Club.

Out of an entry list of forty-two, com-

Schedule for August and September Matches.

No surer indication of the increasing popularity of tennis can be pointed out than the interest being taken in the game by the members of the various clubs in the city.

Prizes for the first and second place in Washington and Baltimore, twenty-nine were on hand when the start was made from Chain Bridge at 4:30, and twenty-three of this number went the entire distance.

Ansley's record for the race was 1:17.40, the best time ever made over the course, but being of no great value, as the water it is doubtful if this mark will stand. The best record ever made

With the wind-up of the tournament which has been in progress at the club for the past month in eight members of this organization have already laid plans for another tourney, an indoor tennis tournament, to be held at the various offices competing for a handsome trophy.

At a meeting of the tennis committee of the club last Tuesday evening a plan was suggested with seven clubs and a schedule was arranged for weekly contests from August 16 to September 27.

One of the facts that the club can at present boast of but one court of its own, but three series can be played a week, each series to consist of

under normal conditions is that of 1927, established in 1925 and 1926.

By winning the gold medal offered to the winner, Ansley captured the handsome silver cup for the first District match to cross the finish line with it the club to establish the District.

Never in the history of local aquatic sports has such a remarkably close race been staged on the Potomac. The first and second separated by only a few minutes, while the third man finished ten seconds later. The tenth man crossed the line but two minutes and fifty seconds behind the first, the twelfth man six minutes behind, and the last man twenty-six minutes and fifty seconds in the rear.

Ansley started off with a strong lead and made the best of the swift

The Interior Department boasts many prominent tennis players, most of whom have been participants among those whose work in the tourney has attracted attention. **are John B. Beadle, D. M. Greene, Dr. C. Clayton, Dr. A. A. Brown and Dr. Mrs. E. Kempf.**

Beadle captured the final round of the singles from Clayton in a hard-fought battle, which was the only one of the topnotchers in the doubles. With Dr. Brown he fought his way down to the finals of the men's doubles, and lost to the team of **W. C. Stetson and Wilbur Brooks** of Baltimore, third.

In the "Do Drop In," Percy Gibson, unattached, spurted from fourth place in the race and forged to the front, holding his own against the quail. He told her the effort commenced to tell and he fell back and Ansley once more took first position in the long line.

As the men posted the Three Sisters

D. M. Greene is chairman of the tennis committee of the club, and it has been largely due to his enthusiasm and love of the game, combined with his almost

exhaustible energy, that the present tournament has been such a success and that the organizers are planning such an ambitious campaign for the balance of the summer. Greene fought his way down through the large crowd of swimmers and was eliminated by Mrs. napp in the semi-finals.

Mr. and Mrs. Kempf are both players of more than 20 years. They were Kempf's ranking first among the women players in the tournament and being winner of the ladies' singles, which were recently completed.

The schedule of the interurban matches is as follows:

August 16-Reclamation vs. Mines, Land Education Hospital.

August 22-Survey vs. Reclamation, Secretary-Government Hospital.

August 29-Panama-India vs. Patent, Secretary-Government Hospital.

September 5-Health Education vs. Patent.

September 4-Patent vs. Reclamation, Mines vs. Panama-India.

Their best efforts, Brooks finishing second, and the Mines swimmer, who was behind and noising out Stetson for third place.

All of the leaders finished strong and the crowd was cheering. Analey could have gone another half mile and still maintained his lead over Brooks. When the local swimmer saw that he had lost the race, he took his time and finished easily.

The patrolling of the course by Lieut. Russell Deane, of the Police Department, with the Lieutenant in charge, the launch Major Sylvester followed the leaders all the way, while the rear was patrolled by the police launch "Skiddoo," and by Private Strauser in a batteau.

Coming from the late start, the race was significant both as to the showing of the swimmers and the arrangement made by the club and the police. Not

September 26--Land-Education vs. Secretary-Government Hospital, Patent vs. Pension-Indian.	A single report and the event will long be remembered by all who were present.
September 26--Land-Education vs. Secretary-Government Hospital, Patent vs. Survey, Reclamation vs. Pension-Indian.	The men finished as follows:
September 27--Land-Education vs. Reclamation, Patent vs. Secretary-Government Hospital, Mines vs.	E. R. Andale, W. S. C. 1:37.00
	Willard Brooks, M. S. C. 1:38.00
	J. M. Cuts, W. S. C. 1:38.30
	F. C. Stetson, W. S. C. 1:39.30

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has changed the townships to be as follows: Albert A. Brown, A. R. Marine, C. N. McDougall, J. J. Cotter, H. J. Jackson, A. J. Hendley, and C. G. James.

Gold, silver and bronze medals will be given for the larger events and prizes donated by the local merchants will be

used for the smaller events. A large silver cup, as a point trophy, will be given the one scoring the most points. Many downtown athletes have expressed their desire to participate in the various events.

A number of races will be exclusively for the Brookland people. The track, with twelve laps to the mile, has been put in excellent condition.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Chicago 7; Baltimore 1.
Baltimore 3; Chicago 1.
St. Louis 3; Newark 1.
Pittsburgh 4; Brooklyn 2.

FUTURITY AT EMPIRE CITY.

\$10,000 STAKE FOR STALLIONS FEATURE
at Grand Circuit Meet.

KANSAS CITY, 6.		BUFFALO, 6.		KANSAS CITY, 2.	
TODAY'S GAMER					
KANSAS CITY AT NEWARK					
STANDINGS OF THE CLUBS.					
CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.	W. L. P.	PER CENT.
Chicago	11	7	1	68.57	53.8
Pittsburgh	9	9	1	55.56	44.4
St. Louis	8	10	2	44.44	35.6
Buffalo	7	11	2	38.89	31.1
Kansas City	6	12	2	33.33	26.7